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MOTION BY SUPERVISOR MICHAEL D. ANTONOVICH

October 5, 2004

October is "National Adopt a Shelter Dog Month," which is designed to raise awareness of the many wonderful dogs that are available for adoption in animal shelters across the United States.

Great companionship and unconditional love are only two of the many benefits derived from adopting a pet.

In fiscal year 2003-04, more than 12,550 dogs were adopted from the six Los Angeles County Animal Shelters. Approximately 5,800 dogs were returned to their owners. This represents an adoption rate of 91% of all placeable animals.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles hereby proclaim the month of October 2004 as "National Adopt a Shelter Dog Month" in Los Angeles County and that all residents be encouraged to visit County Animal Shelters and give a shelter dog a new loving home.

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